

Office of Management and Budget
Circular A-130
“Management of Federal Information
Resources”

A-130 Update for ISPAB



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Circular A-130: Managing Information as a Strategic Resource

- Circular A-130 serves as the overarching policy and framework for Federal Information Resources Management
 - The revised circular centralizes a wide range of policy updates on topics such as acquisitions, information governance, investment planning and control, workforce planning, records management, open data, privacy, and security
- Last revision was November 2000
- FISMA 2014 required OMB to amend or revise A-130 to eliminate inefficient and wasteful reporting
- Significant revisions made to reflect current statute, Executive Orders, Presidential Directives, government-wide policies, standards, and practices
- Released revised A-130 for 30-day public comment on October 21, 2015 following the third interagency review period
 - Comments were extended for an additional 15 days per public request – comment period officially ended on December 5th; over 1200 comments received



Organizations with comments

- Adobe
- American Association of Law Libraries
- ARMA International
- Association for Computing Machinery
- Creative Commons
- Center for Data Innovation
- EPIC
- ITAPS
- Microsoft
- MITRE
- New America's Open Technology Institute
- Occam Technologies
- OpenTheGovernment.org
- PSC
- Salesforce
- Socrata
- Software & Information Industry Association
- Splunk, Inc.
- Tanium
- World Privacy Forum



A-130 Outline: Main body

SUBJECT: Managing Information as a Strategic Resource

1. Purpose
2. Introduction
3. Applicability
4. Basic Considerations
5. Policy
 - a. Planning and Budgeting
 - b. Governance
 - c. Leadership and Workforce
 - d. IT Investment Management
 - e. Information Management and Access
 - f. Privacy and Information Security
 - g. Electronic Signatures
 - h. Records Management
 - i. Leveraging the Evolving Internet
6. Governmentwide Responsibilities
7. Effectiveness
8. Oversight
9. Authorities
10. Definitions
11. Inquiries



A-130 Outline: Appendix I

Appendix I: Responsibilities for Protecting and Managing Federal Information Resources

1. Purpose
2. Introduction
3. General Requirements
4. Specific Requirements
5. Governmentwide Responsibilities
6. Discussion of the Major Provisions in the Appendix
7. Other Requirements
8. References



A-130 Outline: Appendix II

Appendix II: Responsibilities for Management of Personally Identifiable Information

1. Purpose
2. Introduction
3. Fair Information Practice Principles
4. Senior Agency Official for Privacy
5. Agency Privacy Program
6. Managing PII Collected for a Statistical Purpose Under a Pledge of Confidentiality



Circular A-130 Next Steps

- Issue updated draft A-130 for final interagency comment
- Adjudicate agency comments
- Issue finalized Circular



